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HIS STATEMENT IN REPLY TO CRITICISM

Analyses the Appointments of army Officers-Points Out the Immense Amount of Word Done.

WASHINGTON, July 31. Secretary Alger has just issued a statement in reply to criticisms of the newspapers and particularly in reply to an article principal parts of this statement are as appearing in the London Times.

"At the commencement of the war with Spain, and for several years prior to that time, the regular army consisted of only 25,000 men, with the minimum number of officers prescribed by law. The situation may be partially ap-proctated when it is remembered that within 60 days from the declaration of war the strength of the army was in-creased to 275,000, and everything for the equipment of this great force, including clothing, tents, transportation, medical supplies, camps and camp equipage, and all that pertains to

equipage, and all that pertans to equipping an army for service, had to be manufactured, transported and distributed for use.

"From the statement referred to the public might be led to believe that the volunteer army was officered by men selected through political influence with the Secretary of War, by special favor, and without regard to fitness for the duties they were to perform. As is duties they were to perform. As is well known, the volunteer force, with the exception of three regiments of enthe exception of three regiments of engineers, three regiments of cavalry and ten regiments of immune infantry, was made up of regiments from the various states, the officers of which were all appointed exclusively by the governors of the respective states from which the regiments came, and any officer found unfitted for service and discharged was replaced by another in the same manner. The President had no voice or control in the matter.

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"The returns of the volunteer army show that in August, 1898, there were 207,244 enlisted men and 8.785 officers in those regiments. This, with the regular army recruited up to the war strength, made an aggregate force of about 275,000 officers and men. The volunteer officers appointed by the President number, all told, 1,032. Of this number 441 were taken from the regular army and 591 from civil life.

"For a little over a thousand appointments made by the President the number of applications was over 25,000. Of

ber of applications was over 25,000. Of the number appointed there were, for instance, twenty-six Major-Generals, of whom nineteen were taken from the regular army and seven from civil life. Of those seven all but one were gradu-ates of the West Point Military Acade-my and all had distinguished themselves in command during the Civil

War.
"Of the Brigadier-Generals there were 102 appointed sixty-six from the regular army and thirty-six from civil life. Those from civil life had all seen

life. Those from civil life had all seen service during the Civil War or on our Western frontier, and all had proven themselves competent to command, "It has been stated and repeated many times that the Secretary of War made these appointments, when the truth is that very few were made upon his recommendation."

ROOT SECRETARY OF WAR. Alger Steps Out and His Successor Steps In.

WASHINGTON, August 1.—EPhu Root took the oath of office as Secretary of War at 10:45 a.m. today. The ceremony occurred in the large office of the Secretary of War in the presence of Secretaries Gage and Hitchcock, Assistant Secretary Meiklejohn, a large number of army officers in uniform and other employes and officials. The oath was administered by Judge Cole of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia.

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